



## LEGISLATIVE BRANCH ▪ CITY OF BINGHAMTON

*William Berg, City Council President*

*Joseph A. Merrill, City Clerk*

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### MINUTES

#### City Council Finance Committee

#### Budget Hearing

City Council Work Room, 38 Hawley Street, Binghamton, N.Y.

Wednesday September 23, 2015

**Called to Order.** Called to order at 8 pm by Councilman Jerry Motsavage, City Council Finance Chair.

**Council Members Present:** Jerry Motsavage (Committee Chair), Joseph Mihalko, Teri Rennia (Committee Member), Lea Webb, Chris Papastrat (Committee Member), John Matzo, Bill Berg

**Council Members Absent:**

**Also in attendance:** Chuck Shager, Comptroller; Allison Sosa, Asst. Corporation Counsel; Jared Kraham, Executive Assistant to the Mayor; Joseph A. Merrill, City Clerk; Lori Clift, IT Director

### ITEMS CONSIDERED

**Budget Items: Parks and Recreation Administration, Parks Maintenance, Playgrounds and Recreation Centers, Beaches and Pools, Youth Programs, Adult Recreation, Senior Center, and Parks Capital Improvements**

Presented by: Bill Barber, Parks Commissioner

Councilman Motsavage opened A7020 for review.

Motion to move A7020.

Moved by Rennia, seconded by Berg .

**Motion carried. (Vote 7-0)**

Ayes: Motsavage, Mihalko, Rennia, Webb, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg

Nays:

Councilman Motsavage opened A7110 for review.

Motion to move A7110.

Moved by Berg, seconded by Webb .

**Motion carried. (Vote 7-0)**

Ayes: Motsavage, Mihalko, Rennia, Webb, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg

Nays:

Councilman Motsavage opened A7140 for review.

Motion to move A7140.

Moved by Berg, seconded by Papastrat.

**Motion carried. (Vote 7-0)**

Ayes: Motsavage, Mihalko, Rennia, Webb, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg

Nays:

Councilman Motsavage opened A7180 for review.

Motion to move A7180.



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Moved by Rennia, seconded by Webb.

**Motion carried. (Vote 7-0)**

Ayes: Motsavage, Mihalko, Rennia, Webb, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg

Nays:

Councilman Motsavage opened A7310 for review.

Motion to move A7310.

Moved by Papastrat, seconded by Berg.

**Motion carried. (Vote 7-0)**

Ayes: Motsavage, Mihalko, Rennia, Webb, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg

Nays:

Councilman Motsavage opened A7610 for review.

Motion to move A7610.

Moved by Rennia, seconded by Berg .

**Motion carried. (Vote 7-0)**

Ayes: Motsavage, Mihalko, Rennia, Webb, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg

Nays:

Councilman Motsavage opened A7620 for review.

Motion to reduce budget line A7620.54202 (Electricity) from to \$20,000 moving \$2500 to budget line (Parks Contingency)

Moved by Rennia seconded by Berg

**Motion carried. (Vote 7-0)**

Ayes: Motsavage, Mihalko, Rennia, Webb, Berg,

Nays: Matzo, Papastrat

Motion to move A7620.

Moved by Rennia, seconded by Berg .

**Motion carried. (Vote 7-0)**

Ayes: Motsavage, Mihalko, Rennia, Webb, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg

Nays:

Councilman Motsavage opened Parks Capital Improvements for review.

Motion to move Parks Capital Improvements.

Moved by Berg, seconded by Motsavage.

**Motion carried. (Vote 7-0)**

Ayes: Motsavage, Mihalko, Rennia, Webb, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg

Nays:

**Adjournment.** Motion to adjourn at 9:27pm.

Moved by Matzo, seconded by Motsavage.

**Voice vote, none opposed.**